

NEWS FROM RICHMOND AND OTHER PARTS OF VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND NEWS AND GOSSIP

Richmond Veterans Will Help Norfolk to Win.

THE NEXT REUNION

The Gallant Kansas Colonel Funston a Kinsman of Virginia's Governor—The Formation of Military Companies Will Be Authorized—Many Callers at the May Conference Headquarters.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Richmond, Va., May 1.—It is understood that the Confederates of Richmond will do all possible to aid Norfolk in her efforts to secure the next Confederate reunion. A letter has been received here from a Norfolk veteran asking the assistance of the camps of this city. There seems every reason to believe that it will be heartily given. By reason of it being the oldest Confederate camp in the world, Lee Camp has great influence in Confederate circles, and by reason of being located in Richmond all the camps of this city are quite influential.

THE GOVERNOR'S KINSMAN.
The fact that Colonel Funston, of the Twentieth Kansas, who is the acknowledged hero of the Philippines, is a cousin of Governor Tyler, is not generally known.

"Funston's grandmother and my grandfather were brother and sister," said Governor Tyler in conversation with the Virginian-Pilot correspondent at the Capitol to-day. "She was Sarah Hoge, a sister of General James Hoge, my grandfather. She married Colonel Edward Stafford, of Giles, at my place, Bellehampton, in Pulaski county. They went to Missouri to reside and later to Kansas. Their oldest daughter married a Funston and their oldest son was Edward Hoge Funston, who retired two years ago, after representing a Kansas district in Congress for several terms, and making an excellent record. Their son, the eldest I think, is the colonel of the Twentieth Kansas. I am not sure that he is the eldest of the family, but I know he is a very young man. He did some hard fighting in Cuba in the insurgent army and got very badly wounded. He managed to get to this country, but his health, by reason of wounds and exposure, seemed permanently broken. However, the Governor of Kansas made him colonel of a regiment and I am glad to know that he has distinguished himself."

"You mean you are glad he has shown himself worthy of his blood?" asked the reporter.

The Governor smiled and did not contradict the newspaper man, but replied: "I am glad he has shown himself a real Virginian and proud of him as a kinsman."

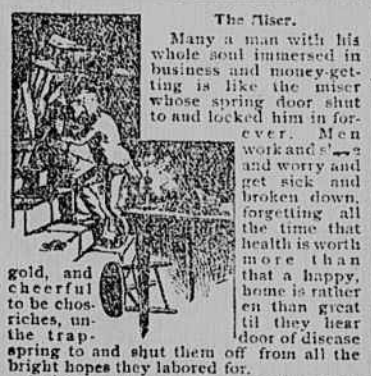
MILITARY RE-ORGANIZATION.

Governor Tyler is now ready to authorize the formation of military companies, after having disbanded all infantry organizations save one, and revoked the commissions of the officers, or placed such officers on the retired list, or accepted their resignations. It is not the intention to issue any re-organization order. As soon as there are companies enough for a regiment a regiment will be formed. Governor Tyler favors one regiment, which shall be a crack organization, to several, poorly equipped.

The Governor has received from the War Department the invoice of certain equipment shipped for the use of the Virginia military.

MAY CONFERENCE HEADQUARTERS.

Col. B. O. James, and Hon. W. F. Reddy are now in charge at the Senatorial conference headquarters. Congressman J. F. Rixey, of the Eighth district, one of the signers of the call, arrived to-day, and was at headquarters several hours during the day and



Many a man with his whole soul immersed in business and money-getting is like the miser whose spring door shut to and locked him in forever. Men work and worry and get sick and broken down, forgetting all the time that health is worth more than that a happy, serene life is rather than great wealth. They hear of the door of disease springing to and shut them off from all the bright hopes they labored for.

A sick man cannot be happy; he cannot accomplish the work he has to do in this world; he loses the very money he is striving for; his ambition defeats itself. Any man who discovers that his strength and energy are giving way has an unfailing means of regaining his physical health and stamina in a few days yet all-potent restorative power of that wonderful "Golden Medical Discovery" originated by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., the world-famous specialist in diseases of the nutritive organism.

Among the thousands who have consulted him by mail the case of Mr. Newton B. Blake, of Pittsfield, N. Y., is shown in the following letter indicating the remarkable efficacy of his treatment: "In December 1895 my health began to fail, I tried many different kinds of medicines and the more I took the worse the disease grew. Finally in April when I was busy with the farm work my health got so bad that I could not hold out for more than one hour. My breath became short and I was weak and nervous and sometimes would spit blood. I was unable to work. I tried one of the doctors in the vicinity but failed to obtain relief. I seemed to grow worse. My father received a book from Dr. R. V. Pierce in which I read of a case similar to mine, and decided to write to Dr. Pierce. He recommended me to take his 'Golden Medical Discovery.' After taking six bottles of this remedy I can recommend it as one of the best medicines to build up the system. I am now enjoying good health."

Torpid liver and constipation are surely and speedily cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They never gripe. They regulate, tone up and invigorate the liver, stomach and bowels. No substitute urged by mercenary dealers is as good.

to-night. Mr. Rixey is warmly in favor of the objects of the conference and says the Democrats of his district are very generally for it. Mr. Rixey will return home to-day.

There were many callers at headquarters to-day, and the mail was very heavy. Mr. James and Mr. Reddy, Congressmen Lamb and Rixey, Mr. S. P. Patterson, and Mr. Cunningham discussed the conference movement at much length. They were thoroughly well pleased at the prospect of a large attendance of the best known of Virginia Democrats.

PETERSBURG.

The Grays Will Get Back Their Flag.

The Michigan Senate Adopts a Resolution Authorizing its Return—Straightening the A. C. Line—Earthquake Shocks Felt.

Petersburg, May 1.—A recent copy of the Capital City Democrat, Lansing, Michigan, contains the following: "On April 3, 1865, the First Michigan Sharpshooters was the first regiment to enter Petersburg after a bloody conflict, and when Lieutenant-Colonel E. J. Buckbee went to the courthouse to place the Stars and Stripes over that building he found in one of the rooms an American flag on which was inscribed the following: 'Presented to the Petersburg Light Infantry Grays by the Ladies of Petersburg, February 22, 1850.'"

"The flag was brought home as a trophy of war, and has been in the State Museum ever since."

"A few weeks since General George W. Stone, of this city, conceived the idea of returning the flag to those now patriotic people, and prepared and had introduced a resolution to that effect, which was presented to the Senate and unanimously adopted."

"From letters received by Mr. Stone, we learn that this Petersburg regiment has been an organization since 1870 and took part in the Mexican war, the Civil war and the late war with Spain."

"The flag was carried in the Civil war until the citizens of Petersburg presented them with a regimental flag, and their love for the old flag prompted them to put it away as a memento of love and devotion."

"Now the old members are anxious for its return and Mr. Stone is in receipt of numerous letters commending the move to send it back."

"Mr. Stone and as many members of the regiment as can will accompany the old flag back to its friends in the South, where they and the flag will receive a hearty welcome."

STRAIGHTENING THE ROAD.
The work of straightening the Petersburg railroad, which forms a part of the Atlantic Coast Line, from Acree's siding, a short distance from Petersburg, to Stony Creek is progressing rapidly. It has been laid for a distance of about two miles. The building of this new line will shorten the road for a mile or more.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.
A gentleman of this city who was up until about 1 o'clock last Thursday morning reports having felt about half past 12 o'clock that morning three distinct earthquake shocks. The shocks, he says, were very distinct and lasted for about one minute and a half.

Do Not Put Off
until to-morrow the duty that ought to be done to-day. If your blood is impure, if you feel weak and weary, take Hood's Sarsaparilla at once.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. Mailed for 25 cents by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

TOWN OF SUFFOLK

Phoenix Fire Company Has Its Annual Election of Officers.

A Tramp Found Dead Near the Norfolk and Western's Track in Isle of Wight County Believed to Have Been Murdered, and Three Negroes Have Been Arrested.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Suffolk, Va., May 1.—At the Phoenix Fire Company's annual election of officers to-night the following were named: Harry Macleary, engineer; Frank Butler, fireman; J. A. Spring, engine driver; Eugene Harley, hose cart driver; R. B. Darden, foreman; P. H. Trotman and Fred Mitchell, assistants; Joe Crocker, first assistant chief; W. J. Farley, second assistant chief; W. S. Ames, secretary; H. Macleary, treasurer; J. P. January, foreman hook and ladder; Vernon Ruby, assistant; H. M. Butler; H. Crocker and W. T. Joyner, hose directors.

The hottest fight was for hose cart driver. H. Harley and J. E. Franklin, incumbents, each got 22 votes. The foreman cast the deciding ballot for Harley. The place is worth \$35 a month. Some of the above have to be confirmed by the Council. The chief was not elected to-night.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.
Isle of Wight county is excited over the alleged murder of a white man whose body is said to have been thrown on the Norfolk and Western tracks near Windsor. The body looked like that of a tramp. It was found near the tracks mutilated and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of death on the rail. There were suspicious circumstances in connection with the case, and the railroad people, suspicious of foul play, sent down detectives to work on the case. The specialists followed a few clues with the result that three colored men are now in jail. Two of them are charged with murder and one is held as a witness.

It is reported that the murder was committed near the home of Mr. Sam Beale. The tramp is said to have gotten into a dispute with Beale and when he showed fight the colored man ran to his assistance. The stranger was beaten with sticks till dead. Then the body was hauled to the tracks. That's how the story goes.

Colonel R. E. Boykin, State's Attorney, telephoned to-night from Smith-

field that the preliminary hearing will come off one day next week. Beale has not been arrested.

MAYBE THEY FORGOT.
This was the day when all merchants should have gotten out State licenses. Because of lack of notice or forgetfulness the treasury people say not more than one-third of them secured the permits to-day. The failure makes them liable to a fine of \$30 per day should the law be enforced.

KELLY UP AGAINST IT.
A young white man who says his name is Walter Kelly, and claims to live in Cincinnati, came to Suffolk and brought a stock of pistols which he meant to sell presumably without buying a license. He had sold two when the police got onto his game. Police Court Judge Brewer this morning fined Kelly \$7.50 for selling them without a license, and \$25.00 more for carrying concealed weapons. He was locked up in default.

ISLE OF WIGHT COURT.
County Judge Atkinson convened the May term of court in Isle of Wight to-day.

One felony case, Commonwealth vs. Ballard, charged with grand larceny, was continued because of a witness being ill.

The nomination of district officers was gone into by mass meeting of Democrats. Practically all the incumbents were re-nominated.

THE PEOPLE READ IT.

If you have troubles or want to make known let the Virginian-Pilot do it. Its "ad." value is proven every day. A gentleman lost a small brass key a day or two ago and inserted a small "ad." in the Virginian-Pilot. One day did the work. The finder brought the key back and got fifty cents reward.

BENEVOLENT KING'S DAUGHTERS.

There was a City Union meeting of the several circles of King's Daughters this afternoon with Miss Julia Phillips, Mr. McCall, representing a farm charity, appeared before the daughters and requested donations. Two of the circles decided to give \$5 apiece.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.
The Randolph Society of St. Paul's

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LOST BETWEEN POSTOFFICE AND L. H. HICKS, SUFFOLK, A GOLD MEDAL INSCRIBED "S. M. A. - 1897." Reward if returned to R. BRIGGS, 12 Planter street.

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The Sewer System WITH HOUSE CONNECTIONS FINISHED, IS NOW IN OPERATION.

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Olney Road WILL BE PAVED WITH VITRIFIED BRICK WITH GRANITE CURB AND ARTIFICIAL STONE FOOT PAVEMENT.

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Redgate Avenue WILL BE IMPROVED IN THE SAME MANNER FROM COLONIAL AVENUE TO COLLEY AVENUE.

Manteo Street FROM OLNEY ROAD TO REDGATE AVENUE, WILL BE PAVED LIKEWISE WITH SHEET ASPHALT AND ARTIFICIAL STONE.

NO CITY IMPROVEMENTS CAN BE BETTER MADE THAN THESE.

THE STREETS ARE BEING GRADED AND PREPARED FOR THE PAVING. THE CONTRACT FOR THE WORK HAS BEEN FORMALLY EXECUTED WITH THE WARREN-SCHARF ASPHALT PAVING COMPANY, OF NEW YORK, AND THE WORK WILL BE COMMENCED AS SOON AS THE WEATHER WILL SAFELY PERMIT.

THE STOCKLEY GARDENS, WHICH ARE SHOWN ON THE MAPS OF THE NORFOLK COMPANY, ARE BEING IMPROVED TO AGREE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS. THESE THREE GARDENS, EXTENDING NORTH FROM OLNEY ROAD FOR NEARLY ONE THOUSAND FEET, WILL BE PLANTED WITH ORNAMENTAL AND SHADE TREES AND WITH FLOWERING SHRUBS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CAREFULLY PREPARED DESIGNS, AND UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE WELL-KNOWN GARDENER, MR. JOHN MAUGHAN.

ALL THESE IMPROVEMENTS WILL BE PUSHED AS FAST AS THE WEATHER WILL PERMIT, AND IT IS EXPECTED THAT THEY WILL BE COMPLETED BY OCTOBER 1st OF THIS YEAR.

MANY LOTS HAVE ALREADY BEEN SOLD, AND THOSE WHO WISH TO INVEST IN VALUABLE PROPERTY, OR DESIRE TO SECURE FOR A HOME A SITE WHICH WILL MEET EVERY MUNICIPAL REQUIREMENT, ARE URGED TO CONSIDER THIS SECTION AND ITS ADVANTAGES.

THE SIXTH WARD IS THE GROWING WARD OF THE CITY, AND THE NORFOLK COMPANY'S PROPERTY IS IN THE MOST VALUABLE PART OF IT.

TWO LINES OF ELECTRIC STREET CARS CARRY PASSENGERS TO MARKET SQUARE WITHIN TWELVE MINUTES.

P. E. Church will hold its regular monthly meeting to-morrow evening at the rectory.

The Ladies' Benevolent and Social Union of the Christian Church met this evening with Mrs. W. W. Ballard, 41 Main street.

The Ministering Circle of King's Daughters is asked to meet to-morrow afternoon at 3:40 with Miss Katie Holladay, Bank and Holladay streets.

Mr. Guy Williamson left to-day for Richmond, to take a business course in a college there.

Mrs. John C. Smith returned this afternoon from a short visit to Norfolk. One bargain and sale deed was recorded to-day—Margaret A. Keith to Stephen Majette, one lot on Liberty street, \$450.

Miss Vanderslice and Mr. Charlie Cramer each sang a solo in the Main Street Methodist Church Sunday.

Herbert Brady, of Old Point, on Sunday visited relatives and friends in Suffolk.

Street Commissioner N. C. Williams has been ill for several days.

Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Lambeth, of Bedford City, Va., arrived to-day to visit Mrs. Lambeth's mother, Mrs. Jesse Parker, on Main street, near Bank.

Mr. C. W. Freeman, of Portsmouth, was in Suffolk to-day.

Colonel H. Macleary, general manager of the Great Eastern railroad, in course of construction in North Carolina, to-day visited friends in Suffolk.

The Suffolk Literary Club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Miss Lizzie Booker, 18 Saratoga street.

Mr. C. D. West, of Newport News, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. J. E. West, in Suffolk.

Messrs. W. E. Kitchen and L. C. Branch, of Newport News, visited Suffolk friends Sunday.

The clearest fact imaginable is an accomplished fact. This being true, a business success might be called a clever thing, or an accomplished fact. In May, 1878, the G. O. Taylor Whiskies made their appearance. The public, from the first, seemed to believe in the representations made about their purity and medicinal value, and the sales, year after year, have shown a healthy growth. To-day a large percentage of licensed traders men carry "G. O. T." in stock, because it is a standard article, being regularly prescribed by physicians, used by invalids and kept amongst family stores for use in emergencies. We bottle to-day the same quality of whiskey, under the trade mark name "G. O. T.," that we have bottled for a quarter of a century. Reject substitutes and don't overlook this point: We never sell G. O. T. in bulk at any price, anywhere, to anybody. Look for our firm name signature on face and neck labels. Refuse to buy substitutes, and write to us your experience.

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